# **ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE**

Committee: Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

Location: Room 6

Date/Time: 04/25/13 Upon Adjournment

Staff: Tina Righteous, Attorney

Valarie Banks, Secretary

David Gauthier, Legislative Analyst

R. Jared Evans, Attorney

Mattie Franklin, Sergeant at Arms Gloria Leonard, Sergeant at Arms

Roll Call:	16			Convened:	11:20 AM
Number of Members:	17			Recessed: Convened:	12:09 PM 12:18 PM
Quorum:	10			Adjourned:	12:25 PM
Jackson III, Girod		Present			
Badon, Austin		Present			
Barras, Taylor F.		Present			
Barrow, Regina		Present			
Berthelot, John A.		Present			
Billiot, Robert E.		Present			
Bishop, Wesley T.		Present			
Brossett, Jared		Present			
Brown, Terry R.		Present			
Burrell, Roy		Present			
Danahay, Michael E.		Present			
Havard, Kenneth E.		Present			
Honoré, Dalton		Present			
Norton, Barbara M.		Present			
Ortego, Stephen J. Pugh, Stephen E.		Present	Abaant		
Willmott, Thomas P.		Dropont	Absent		
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## **HB106 by DOVE**

Authorizes the Houma Area Convention and Visitors Bureau to levy an additional hotel occupancy tax

Amendment:

HCAHB106 3122 1819

Motion made by: Billiot, Robert E.

AMD Motion:

Adopt

Vote:

15-0

**Vote Date:** 

4/25/2013 12:04:45 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Yea

Yea

Jackson III, Girod

Jackson III, Girod

Amendment:

HCAHB106 474 2015

Motion made by: Billiot, Robert E.

**AMD Motion:** 

Adopt

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 12:05:21 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Yea

Yea

### HB106 by DOVE

Authorizes the Houma Area Convention and Visitors Bureau to levy an additional hotel occupancy tax

Motion made by: Billiot, Robert E.

Motion:

With Amendments

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 12:05:36 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

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## HB106 by DOVE

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

Approval of Committee Minutes from the 2012 Regular Session as follows: May 17, 2012, May 23, 2012, and May 31, 2012; and from the 2012-2013 Interim as follows: October 11, 2012

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

**Motion:** 

Adopt

Vote:

15-0

**Vote Date:** 

4/25/2013 12:08:36 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

### **HB128 by JONES**

Provides for survivors benefits for tribal police officers and firemen

Motion made by: Ortego, Stephen J.

**Motion:** 

Favorably

Vote:

15-0

**Vote Date:** 

4/25/2013 12:02:39 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Yea

Yea

Yea

### **HB128 by JONES**

Provides for survivors benefits for tribal police officers and firemen

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod Motion: Local & Consent

15-0 Vote: Jackson III, Girod Yea Badon, Austin Yea Vote Date: 4/25/2013 12:03:06 PM Barras, Taylor F. Yea

Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea

Willmott, Thomas P.

### **HB128 by JONES**

Final Action: Reported favorably. (15-0) (Local & Consent)

### **HB180 by TERRY BROWN**

Provides relative to abolition of the position of police chief in the village of Goldonna

HCAHB180 2992 1901 Amendment: Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

Vote: 15-0 Jackson III, Girod Yea Badon, Austin Yea Vote Date: 4/25/2013 11:54:09 AM Barras, Taylor F. Yea

Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P.

Motion made by: Brown, Terry R.

**Motion:** With Amendments

Vote: 15-0 Jackson III, Girod Yea Badon, Austin Yea Vote Date: 4/25/2013 11:54:45 AM

Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea

Ortego, Stephen J. Willmott, Thomas P.

### **HB180 by TERRY BROWN**

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

Yea

Yea

### **HB232 by TERRY BROWN**

Increases the maximum hotel occupancy tax that the Grant Parish Tourist Commission is authorized to levy

Amendment:

HCAHB232 3122 1418

Motion made by: Brown, Terry R.

**AMD Motion:** 

Adopt

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:56:01 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

Jackson III, Girod

Motion made by: Brown, Terry R.

Motion:

With Amendments

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:56:09 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

# **HB232 by TERRY BROWN**

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

### HB260 by A.WILLIAMS

Creates the Goodwood Homesites Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District in East Baton Rouge

Motion made by: Barrow, Regina

**Motion:** 

Favorably

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:59:12 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

Yea

Yea

Yea

#### **HB260 by A.WILLIAMS**

Creates the Goodwood Homesites Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

Motion:

Local & Consent

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:59:20 AM

Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

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Badon, Austin

### HB260 by A.WILLIAMS

Final Action: Reported favorably. (15-0) (Local & Consent)

### **HB287 by DANAHAY**

Increases the maximum per diem authorized to be paid to fire protection district board members in Calcasieu Parish

Motion made by: Billiot, Robert E.

**Motion:** 

Favorably

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 12:00:06 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Motion made by: Danahay, Michael E.

Motion:

Local & Consent

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 12:00:19 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

## **HB287 by DANAHAY**

Yea

Yea

## HB288 by LEBAS

Provides for the board of commissioners of the Ward 5 Fire Protection District of the Parish of Evangeline

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

Motion:

Favorably

Vote:

14-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:34:48 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

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Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

**Motion:** 

Local & Consent

Vote:

14-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:35:00 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

## **HB288 by LEBAS**

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0) (Local & Consent)

### **HB325 by ST.GERMAIN**

Authorizes the imposition of an additional sales and use tax by the governing authority of Iberville Parish

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

**Motion:** 

Favorably

Vote:

14-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:32:52 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

## **HB325 by ST.GERMAIN**

Authorizes the imposition of an additional sales and use tax by the governing authority of Iberville Parish

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

Motion: Local & Consent

Vote:14-0Jackson III, GirodYeaVote Date:4/25/2013 11:33:01 AMBadon, Austin Barras, Taylor F.Yea

Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea

Ortego, Stephen J. Yea
Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

# **HB325 by ST.GERMAIN**

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0) (Local & Consent)

#### **HB326 by BARRAS**

Authorizes the city of Youngsville to levy a hotel occupancy tax

Motion made by: Barras, Taylor F.

Motion: Favorably

Vote: 15-0

Vote Date:4/25/2013 11:52:16 AMBadon, AustinYeaBarras, Taylor F.Yea

Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea

Yea

Yea

Jackson III, Girod

Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

Motion: Local & Consent

Vote:15-0Jackson III, GirodYeaVote Pate:4/25/2013 11/53:24 AMBadon, AustinYea

Vote Date:4/25/2013 11:52:24 AMBacton, AdstinTealBarras, Taylor F.YeaBarrow, ReginaYea

Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea

Willmott, Thomas P.

# **HB326 by BARRAS**

Yea

Yea

Yea

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Yea

Yea

### **HB339 by BERTHELOT**

Allows the use of public funds for length of service awards programs established by fire protection districts, municipal fire departments, or volunteer fire departments for volunteer firefighters

Amendment:

Adds length of service text

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

**AMD Motion:** 

Adopt

Vote:

14-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:37:22 AM

Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P.

Jackson III, Girod

Jackson III, Girod

Badon, Austin

Motion made by: Brown, Terry R.

Motion:

With Amendments

Vote:

14-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:39:44 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

## **HB339 by BERTHELOT**

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (14-0) (Regular)

# **HB382 by BERTHELOT**

Creates a Volunteer Firefighter's Tuition Reimbursement program

**Amendment:** 

HCAHB382 552 1972

Motion made by: Berthelot, John A.

AMD Motion: Vote:

Adopt 15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:50:21 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea

Ortego, Stephen J. Willmott, Thomas P.

Jackson III, Girod

Yea

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Yea

### **HB382 by BERTHELOT**

Creates a Volunteer Firefighter's Tuition Reimbursement program

Motion made by: Berthelot, John A.

Motion: With Amendments

Vote: 15-0

**Vote Date:** 4/25/2013 11:50:34 AM

Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

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Badon, Austin

### **HB382 by BERTHELOT**

Final Action: Reported with amendments. (15-0) (Regular)

#### **HB383 by LOPINTO**

Provides relative to the lease of a hospital by a Jefferson Parish hospital service district

Motion made by: Billiot, Robert E.

**Motion:** 

Favorably

14-0

Vote: Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:30:15 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

### **HB383 by LOPINTO**

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0) (Regular)

#### **HB554 by GAROFALO**

Creates the Fort Pike Fire Protection District in Orleans Parish

Motion made by: Bishop, Wesley T.

Motion:

Favorably

Vote:

15-0

**Vote Date:** 

4/25/2013 12:07:05 PM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Yea

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Yea

### **HB554 by GAROFALO**

Creates the Fort Pike Fire Protection District in Orleans Parish

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

Motion: Local & Consent Vote: 15-0

Vote Date: 4/25/2013 12:07:15 PM Badon, Austin Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

Jackson III, Girod

Willmott, Thomas P.

Jackson III, Girod

# **HB554 by GAROFALO**

Final Action: Reported favorably. (15-0) (Local & Consent)

#### HB605 by W.BISHOP

Provides relative to the boundaries of the Gentilly Development District

Motion made by: Brossett, Jared

**Motion:** 

Favorably

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:57:02 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kerneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

**Motion:** 

Local & Consent

Vote:

15-0

Vote Date:

4/25/2013 11:57:11 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

#### HB605 by W.BISHOP

Yea

### **HB658 by JAMES**

Creates the Sherwood Forest Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish

Motion made by: Barrow, Regina

Motion:

Favorably

Vote:

15-0

**Vote Date:** 

4/25/2013 11:58:17 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

Jackson III, Girod

Jackson III, Girod

Motion made by: Jackson III, Girod

Motion:

Local & Consent

Vote:

15-0

**Vote Date:** 

4/25/2013 11:58:24 AM

Badon, Austin Yea Barras, Taylor F. Yea Barrow, Regina Yea Berthelot, John A. Yea Billiot, Robert E. Yea Bishop, Wesley T. Yea Brossett, Jared Yea Brown, Terry R. Yea Burrell, Roy Yea Danahay, Michael E. Yea Havard, Kenneth E. Yea Honoré, Dalton Yea Ortego, Stephen J. Yea Willmott, Thomas P. Yea

## **HB658 by JAMES**